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INTERESTING ITEMS FROM EL VERANO AND VICINITY.

Weekly Record of all the Happenings in His Town as Faithfully Recorded by Our Wide-Awake Reporter, "Archie McKiver."

Chas. Spindler went to Oakland Tuesday.

A. Ballairres and C. Fardies drove up to Santa Rosa last Saturday.

Attorney Robt. Poppe passed through here Sunday en route to the metropolis.

C. Hawbach, a San Francisco politician, is spending the week at El Verano Villa.

M. E. Cummings, Sonoma's popular Mayor, was a visitor to the county seat Sunday.

Miss Margaret Gordon, a popular young lady of Alameda, is a guest at the Dowdall home.

B. F. Pinder was in town the fore part of the week in his new Hudson car, which is certainly a peach.

Charley Danielli is having an addition put on his house. Joe Garoni of Agua Caliente is doing the work.

J. R. Ryan and Jack O'Brien, employers of the Western Meat Co., San Francisco, spent Sunday at the Hotel Serres.

Mrs. M. McDevitt of this place was the lucky holder of the ticket which won the twenty-dollar gold piece at the Catholic Fair Monday evening.

O. T. Wilkinson, accompanied by Miss Vina Bomkoff of Santa Rosa, came down from that city on Tuesday afternoon's Southern Pacific train.

Larry Larsen stopped a runaway horse in front of the Helvetia Hotel last Sunday. The owner liberally rewarded Larry as he prevented an awful mix-up.

Mrs. E. O. Gates, after spending four months visiting her folks in Muskegon, Mich., arrived home Thursday evening. She was accompanied by her two children.

Henry Koerner of the Oak Grove Resort is having a number of rooms added to his hotel. Ken Weaver, the well-known contractor and builder, is doing the work.

Paul Vannucci was given a surprise Saturday evening when a number of his San Francisco friends dropped in on him unannounced and made things lively around Verano.

Archie McKiver took in the St. Francis Church Fair in Sonoma Saturday evening and was lucky enough to win a chicken, but the winner of the cat Monday night put one over on Archie. Get it, Easy Jim!

Among the prominent sporting men of Santa Rosa who were guests at Paul Vannucci's resort last Monday were promoter Frank McElroy of the Anny Athletic Club, Jack Matthews, Ed. Gardner and Walter Coffee, the middleweight boxer.

The many friends here of Capt. H. P. Filgate were sorry to learn of his death in San Francisco Sunday. He was well-known here, having been captain of the Cross Cadets during his campaign at Agua Caliente years ago.

Fritz Holland Taft on Tuesday afternoon Pacific train en route to the Bellevue. He recently fought a fight at Taft and was to have been a

official of the S. P. Monday on their inspection. A six Pullmans, in late cars, Alameda and others, made up the train. On board were W. A. Whitney, superintendent of this division, J. M. Daves, general superintendent, D. Roland, roadmaster and J. Beaudmont, superintendent of the Salt Lake division.

Attorney Frank Sprague was in town Monday.

Farmers hereabouts are rejoicing over the heavy rainfall last Tuesday.

Frank Entelmann spent Saturday and Sunday sight-seeing in the metropolis.

Louis Lamotte is visiting in Los Angeles and other Southern California cities.

Miss Cecilia Dowdall was here from the metropolis Sunday visiting her folks.

A large crowd from here took in the Catholic Fair in Sonoma and all say it was by far the best ever.

The engagement of D. Zimon of the D. & K. farm in the northwestern suburbs of town to Miss Fannie Sommer, a popular young lady of San Francisco, has been announced. The date for the wedding has been set for November 10th and the ceremony will be performed at the home of the groom in prospective. A large number friends of the contracting parties from the city and this place will be present and it promises to be one of the social events of the season. Mr. Zimon has resided here two years and his many friends are congratulating him on all sides on the coming event.

Archie McKiver visited at Vineburg last Sunday. During his sojourn in that thriving little burg he stopped in at Batts's Spur to shake hands with his brother reporter "Easy Jim," who extended him the hospitalities of the town. The growth of the place has been something wonderful. Sorry to say, though, all of "Easy Jim's" pretty girl reporters were out automobile riding. Easy told your reporter he was glad of it, as he had lost "Belle Brandon," and didn't care to lose any more by introducing them to a flirting correspondent like the Index-Tribune's El Verano reporter. I'm going to call again, Easy.

The Meehan-Coffee boxing contest has been clinched and the boys will meet before the Anny Athletic Club in Santa Rosa next Monday evening. Great interest is being taken in the battle as it will be a twenty-round bout, and a knockout is a certainty. Meehan is popular here and has a large following, who, with his manager, Paul Vannucci, predict that he will bring home the bacon this time. The last bout these lads engaged in ended by Meehan being pushed through the ropes by Coffee, and striking his head on the hard floor was knocked unconscious. The referee gave Coffee the decision but declared a 15 bet off. The sports here will wager on Meehan to win. These two promising middleweights ought to put up a great battle.

As the election draws near things are beginning to warm up here. The Anti-Roadhouse League amendment is the most discussed topic here and voters are now waking up to the issue and for the most part will vote against it. The idea of forcing a man to build 35 rooms in order to maintain a saloon in a town like this and to serve meals three times a day. Well, who'll be there to eat 'em in the winter time? It is a silly proposition and a Prohibition measure pure and simple, and if those engaged in the retail liquor business don't all stick together and vote down this vicious amendment throughout the county they need not be a bit surprised to have a county wide wet and dry election if the Prohibitionists carry this measure. Every incorporated town in the county ought to work hard against this Anti-Roadhouse amendment for sooner or later all will be made to suffer should it go through.

ARCHIBALD C. IVER.
El Verano, Oct. 23, 1912

SOCIALIST RALLY AT DON THEATRE.

Jack London, the Noted Author, and Rev. Norton Pendleton to Speak Tomorrow (Sunday) Afternoon.

The Socialist party will hold a campaign meeting at the Don Theatre, Sonoma, tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Jack London, the well-known author and Socialist, will be present and will deliver a brief address. Rev. Norton Pendleton, one of the most effective and talented orators on the Pacific Coast, will speak on the issues of the campaign. He is a second Stitt Wilson. Mr. Pendleton is at present pastor of Covenant Centre Baptist church in San Francisco, but the charge of heresy has been raised against him because of his strong socialistic teachings and he is about to be deprived of his church. However, his congregation stand with him almost unanimously. Members of all parties are invited to attend this meeting. Admission free.

Prosperity of the West

Evidence of prosperity of the Western States is furnished by figures made known by the Southern Pacific Company as to the number of freight cars loaded this season. The average loading on the lines of this Company in California is greater by 6200 cars per month over the same period last year, or about 200 cars per day.

Railroads have been heavily pressed for rolling stock because of this sudden demand for service. Only the hearty co-operation on the part of the shippers has made it possible to keep all the traffic moving. The large fruit firms have instructed their agents not to delay or divert shipments unnecessarily and have issued circulars to this effect, for the principal difficulty has arisen from movement in the Eastern States.

The Pacific Fruit Express, according to an announcement made by President Sproule of the Southern Pacific Company, has ordered 2,000 more refrigerator cars of the latest design. This number, together with the lot of 1,000 only recently ordered, will bring up this line's total equipment to 13,100 cars, representing an investment of over \$20,000,000 all to be available on July 1st of next year in time for the 1913 fruit movement.

The new cars are designed especially for the fruit packages peculiar to California and the West and will load easily and economically. They will be fitted with Bohn Collapsible Tanks and a modern system of heat insulation.

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WOMAN MEETS WITH ACCIDENT.

Mrs. O. T. Wilkinson is Accidentally Shot While Boarding Train at Verano.

While Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Wilkinson, accompanied by Wm. Block and the Misses Eva and Lucy Block were en route on the Northwestern Pacific train Monday for a day's outing in the vicinity of Wingo, Mrs. Wilkinson was accidentally shot and very seriously wounded. It happened this way. On boarding the train at Verano station a revolver in the pocket of a hunting coat worn by Mr. Block was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Mrs. Wilkinson and passing through her right arm at the elbow, shattering the bone. It appears that Mr. Block was in the act of passing from the passenger coach into the smoker when a jar of the train caused his coat to strike the door, exploding the revolver with the result as narrated above.

Mrs. Wilkinson was taken to Sonoma on the train, where Dr. Leix was phoned for to attend the wounded lady. The doctor's examination disclosed the fact that the bullet had passed clear through the arm, the leaden pellet being subsequently discovered lying in the aisle of the car by the conductor of the train. After the wound had been dressed by Dr. Leix in his sanitarium here the patient was sent to the Mary Jesse Hospital in Santa Rosa. It may be possible that the arm may have to be amputated as the bone is badly shattered.

Library News Notes

The following books have been added to the shelves of the Sonoma Public Library, a donation from Eugene Harris: "Anderson's Fairy Tales," Mrs. H. B. Paulk. "Earl Wayne's Nobility," Georgid Sheldon. "Fighting Under the Southern Cross," C. H. Wetmore. "Thaddeus of Warsaw," Jane Porter.

Donated by John and Stephen Duhning— "Sarah Dillard's Ride," James Otis.

"With Washington at Monmouth," James Otis. "The Minute Boys of New York," James Otis. "The Minute Boys of South Carolina," James Otis. "The Rover Boys on Land and Sea," A. M. Winfield. "Winning the Eagle Prize," Norman Brainerd. "Stories of the Great West," Theodore Roosevelt. "For the Stars and Stripes," E. T. Tomlinson. "Fighting Hal," J. DeMorgan. "The Last Cruise of the Mohawk," W. J. Henderson. Purchased by the library— "Betty Wales, Freshman," Margaret Ward. "Betty Wales, Sophomore," Margaret Ward. MRS. C. STOKES, Librarian.

Fresh oysters in the shell three times a week at the Palace Hotel.

No. 10,259 TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, D. C. September 13, 1912.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

The First National Bank of Sonoma,

in the City of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, and State of California, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with by national banking associations, and is authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Lawrence C. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the First National Bank of Sonoma, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California, and authorized to do business as a national banking association, is authorized to commence the business of banking.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Department of the Treasury, at Washington, D. C., this 13th day of September, 1912.

LAWRENCE C. MURRAY, Comptroller of the Currency.

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HOTEL CLERK FOUND DEAD IN BED.

He Was From San Francisco and Was Employed at the Agua Caliente Springs Hotel.

L. Gehrike, clerk of the Agua Caliente Springs Hotel, was found dead in bed Sunday afternoon.

He was last seen alive about 12 o'clock in apparently good health and two hours later was discovered to be dead. The deceased was a native of Germany and was aged about thirty years. Previous to being employed by the hotel people he had been a clerk in the German Savings and Loan Association of San Francisco.

An inquest was held over the remains of the dead man by Coroner Blackburn in the evening and it developed he had died of heart failure.

CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT

Judges Seawell and Denny Disposition of Many Cases Last Monday.

Department one, Seawell Judge Northwestern Pacific Railroad Co. vs. O. F. Phillips, set for January 27.

Walsh vs. Northwestern Pacific Railroad, set for January 14.

Fisher vs. Armour, restraining order dismissed.

Smith vs. Behmer, motion dismissed.

Mathews vs. Lopus, demurrer argued and submitted.

The following continuances were made:

To Oct. 28—Hoover vs. Folkers, to be set; People vs. Levy et al., demurrer.

To Nov. 7—Wedel vs. Wedel, demurrer; Sprague vs. Sprague, demurrer.

Department Two, Denny Judge Estate N. Bogunda, deceased, petition to lease and mortgage granted.

Estate Oscar Boehm, deceased, petition to mortgage granted.

Estate Jose Mello, minor, letters of guardianship issued to Mary Mello; bond \$300.

Estate Carlo Paula, minor, letters of guardianship issued to John A. Paula; bond \$300.

Estate Zenel W. Bransford, deceased, will admitted to probate; letters testamentary issued to Mary A. Bransford without bonds.

Estate Christian Mardans, deceased, petition to direct company to deliver estate submitted.

Estate Ann LaPoint, deceased, letters of administration issued to Geo. P. Lavoy; bond \$5000.

Estate Jas. W. Avery, deceased, final account settled and allowed; Administrator Blackburn discharged.

Estate Lee Loratelli, deceased, final account settled and allowed; distribution ordered.

Estate Sarah A. Green, deceased, first annual account settled and allowed; distribution ordered.

Estate Alice M. Weeks, deceased, first and final account settled and allowed; distribution ordered.

Estate R. Y. Nobles, deceased, letters of administration issued to Ida Nobles; bond \$100.

Estate George Wallman, minor, letters of guardianship issued to George Wallman, Sr.; bond \$200.

Consolidated Vehicle Co. vs. W. E. Rushing, demurrer submitted on briefs, five, five and five days.

Fitzgerald vs. Richards, order to show cause continued to October 29.

Chiotti vs. Chiotti, judgment for the plaintiff for \$1632.12; attorney fees \$50, and costs.

Freeman vs. Collins, ten days further time to file briefs granted.

The following continuances were made:

To Oct. 28—Estate Mary Murphree, deceased, petition of administration; Mar-

Hunter vs. Thos. W. W. H. Carr vs. Amer-

ica vs. Apple, Giovanni, et al., distribution.

November 4—Patterson vs. Western Pacific Railroad, order to show cause and

to Oct. 28—Estate Mary Murphree, deceased, petition of administration; Mar-

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES AND HAPPENINGS IN TOWN.

Doings of the Various Sets in this City and Its Immediate Vicinity--The Goings and Comings and Other Items of General Interest.

Mrs. Harry Stover of Petaluma visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr last Tuesday.

Walter L. Murphy of Alameda visited Sonoma relatives several days this week.

Miss M. Burchard of this place registered at the Hotel Argonaut on the 20th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bates, after a pleasant trip to Los Angeles, returned home last Sunday evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Cornelius was brightened Monday by the arrival of a brand new baby girl.

Miss Beth Trudgen left last Monday for Los Angeles on a visit to relatives. She will be gone a month.

Mrs. French and son Boyd French, of San Francisco, were in town several days the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. McCray of Schellville were presented with a baby boy at the Leix sanitarium on Friday of last week.

Osmund Haraszthy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maury Haraszthy of this place, was married to Miss Mary L. Gunn in San Francisco last Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. LaTorres accompanied by her daughter, Providence, went down to the metropolis Saturday morning and remained over until Monday, the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fallon of Tomales, Marin county, an aunt of Otto Gericke, Sr., of this place, passed away one day last week at the ripe old age of 80 years. The deceased lady was a native of Ireland.

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Thomson and Dr. and Mrs. Parramore have just returned from an extended auto trip through Lake and Mendocino counties. The journey was made in Dr. Thomson's Hudson touring car.

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Vote for Wilson and the Republican Nominees for the Congress

The regular Republicans of California having been disfranchised from voting for President Taft for another term by the Roosevelt-Johnson machine politicians, who have disbarred the names of the thirteen Taft Presidential electors from appearing on the ballot at the election next month, they are practically without a candidate for the Presidency in California. This being the case, but one thing is left for all true and loyal Republicans to do and that is to rebuke and repudiate the Bull Moose candidates and vote for the Democratic nominee, Wilson, and the Republican candidates for the Congress. It is now too late to get Taft electors on the ballot by petition, and even if this were not so how many voters in California would take the trouble to hunt up the names of the thirteen suggested Taft Presidential electors and write their names in on the ballot. Some would undoubtedly do so, but for every one of such there would be an even hundred who would either vote for one of the other candidates or not vote at all.

This being the condition of affairs in California, where the Taft Republicans have been robbed of their rights to a free ballot in order that Roosevelt may carry the State, it behooves every man and woman voter who believes in a square deal to defeat the machinations of the Roosevelt-Johnson crowd and their deluded followers by casting their ballots for Woodrow Wilson and the Republican nominees for Congress. If they do this they will have done well.

An Egotistical Jackass.

In last Wednesday's issue of his own newspaper Guy J. K. Bigelow published a half column article devoted to self-laudation in which he enrolls himself in the hall of fame as a reformer with Theodore Roosevelt, Hiram Johnson and William Kent. Just how he left out the names of George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Jackson, Julius Caesar and Jesus Christ as being his fellow associates in reformation and martyrdom, is hard to determine when one considers the egotism of the man. No, J. K. Bigelow is not classed here as a reformer. He is a mischief-maker pure and simple and needs reforming himself.

Vote for Supervisor Blair Hart And You Will Make No Mistake.

Bigelow's newspaper is out for Harry Weise for Supervisor as against Blair Hart. That settles it for the former, as any candidate that Bigelow supports is sure to be defeated. Vote for Blair Hart, men and women voters, and you will make no mistake.

A Parody

A new version of the national anthem has been written by Elmer P. Howe, a Massachusetts man, and is indeed a stimulant for the members of the "Progressive" party. Here is the spasm:

My Country, 'tis of ME,
Sweet land of mostly-ME,
Of ME I yell.
All rule belongs to ME,
Perkins, Bill Flinn and ME.
For president, take ME,
Oh go to H---
I am the Chief, Bull Moose,
Bulwark of liberty,
Of ME I sing.
Land where thy father died,
I am thy joy and pride,
From every mountain side,
Let MY name ring.
Let music swell the breeze,
And sing MY policies,
From sun to sun.
I love thy "rocks" and "rills,"
That will supply MY tills,
I love the job of Bill's,
In Washington.
Instead of Bill take ME,
As boss of Liberty,
ME, ME, I yell.
Then will our land be bright,
With MY "progressive" light,
Protected by MY might,
And safe from H---

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Recently it has been definitely proven by experiments on animals that alcohol lowers the germicidal power of the body and that alcohol paralyzes the white corpuscles of the blood and renders them unable to take up and destroy disease germs. Disease germs cause the death of over one-half of the human race. A blood medicine, made entirely without alcohol, which is a pure glyceric extract of roots, such as Bloodroot, Queen's root, Golden Seal root, Mandrake and Stone root, has been extensively sold by druggists for the past forty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The refreshing influence of this extract is like Nature's influence--the blood is bathed in the tonic which gives life to the blood--and would have to consult a specialist concerning my ear, that the dead bone must be cut out before the wound would heal. A kind friend advised me to write to Dr. Pierce, which I did, and after seven months' use of the treatment the sore is healed and I enjoy better health than I ever did. I dressed the wound with Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve and took the "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Pleasant Pellets" for my troubles. I shall always recommend your medicines.



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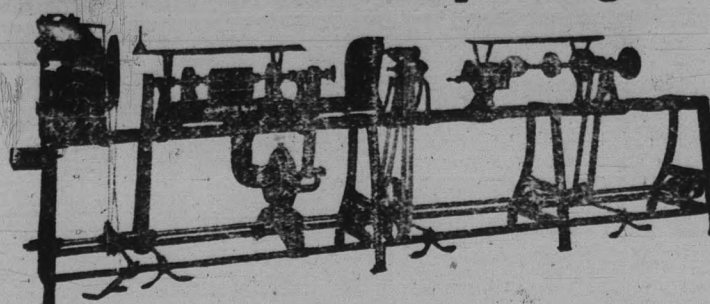
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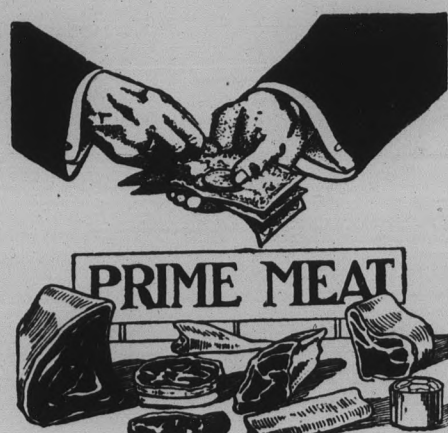


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VINEBURG NEWS ITEMS CATHOLIC FAIR

"Easy Jim" Tells in an Interesting Way all About the Week's Happenings in and About His Section of the Valley.

Fred. Batto made a business trip to the metropolis Wednesday.

Ethel Eastlake has returned from a trip to the Sea after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wharf were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kizer last Sunday.

Miss Mae Bosch was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Morris Levy, at the Hotel Mervyn, Glen Ellen, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Trautvetter of the Brookside Poultry Yards are visiting friends and relatives in the cities surrounding the bay.

Arthur Batto autored to Lakeville and different points in that vicinity Sunday. His guests were W. J. Hiser and Chas. Bancho and all enjoyed a pleasant trip.

Messrs. George Hines and Harry Kenealy are here from San Francisco. They are registered at the Vineyard Villa and speak highly of this burg and its pleasant surroundings.

Harold Carriger and Cedric Cutler, two young sportsmen of this place, enjoyed a trip to Second Napa Slough Sunday and returned with nine ducks and two big bass. "Excuse me boys, I never eat ducks."

Fr. d. Schell, a prominent poultryman of Schellville and proprietor of the famous Schell Hatchery, was in Vineburg last Wednesday. Fr. d. is a right, and can hatch anything from a humming bird to an airship.

Archibald McKiver, the bright young reporter of the Index-Tribune at El Verano, was a visitor here Sunday and had a "Hart to Hart" talk with several well-known citizens and all the lady voters promised him their support.

Blair Hart, our popular Supervisor and candidate for re-election, was a visitor here Tuesday looking over the political situation and appeared to be perfectly satisfied with the outlook. Don't worry about Vineburg, Blair, you have the ladies with you all right.

Messrs. Albert Groskopf, Sr., and Chas. Groskopf, Mrs. J. H. Murray and the Misses Adele Andrieux and Marvel Ravecraft were among the residents of Vineburg who did their share toward making the recent Catholic Fair in Sonoma a success.

Dr. J. R. Davidson and August Figone, two well known citizens of the metropolis, accompanied by their wives, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Batto last Sunday. Dr. Davidson is a leading physician in St. Francis Hospital, San Francisco and Mr. Figone is a well-known me chanic. This was the doctor's first visit to Sonoma in 40 years and at that time he was the guest of J. A. Poppe, the Sonoma pioneer, at Rancho Popula, (P. Poppe's ranch.)

Mrs. Chas. McDevitt and children of Sonoma were guests of her sisters Mrs. Fred. Batto and Miss Adele Andrieux Sunday.

J. Jansen of Sonoma was a visitor in Vineburg Sunday. He and a party of friends went fishing and we are told that they had good luck.

Mrs. E. H. Johannsen returned, one day this week, from a ten-day visit to Los Angeles. She reports having had a very pleasant trip.

Louis Rouquie, the popular manager of the Vineyard Villa, who has been ill the past week is now around again. "Vineburg is sure happy, Louie."

Vineburg, Oct. 24, 1912.

Easy Jim:
I have just returned from my vacation and I feel fine. I had a good time, enjoyed myself, met many nice gentlemen but none of them have won me yet. However, I'm glad to be home again.

Since my return I have read with much attention as well as admiration the able article from the pen of Belle Brandon of El Verano in which she criticizes the "Expositor" for the way and the manner of the issue of October 16th was presented to the public. Every word she says is true and all she says she means, as for sometime past "The Red Light Journal" has thrown decency, propriety and morality to the four winds of Heaven. After this it should be like the New York Gazette—printed on pink paper.

It was announced at the last Five O'clock Tea that a certain young belle would become the bride of a San Francisco business man in a short time. "Will he love her in December as in May?" "Search me."

The report that his Honor, the Mayor, is going to open a school for the study of Christian Science is a falsehood. He is simply going to have a "class" for physical culture to be connected with his Wild West Show—boxing, wrestling, sprinting, etc.

"Good bye Easy. Next week I am going to Iowa for a month."

Yours, Olivia Oliver.

The fruit drying plant on the E. M. Cutler place is still running full blast drying apples. About ten hands are employed and will be for some time to come.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McNamara of the Bay city were among the guests at Vineyard Villa Sunday. It is the fond hope of this worthy couple to reside here some time in the future.

Emil McCurdy, cashier of the California Baking Co., San Francisco, has presented his old friend, Frank Kennedy, with a handsome birthday cake to be used on the anniversary of his birth.

EASY JIM.
Vineburg, Oct. 24, 1912

Read the ads in this paper.

A GREAT SUCCESS

Ladies of St. Francis Church Net Over \$2,000 for Its Benefit and do Themselves Proud.

The Catholic Church Fair, which closed here last Monday night, will go down in the history of old Sonoma as being one of the most successful Fairs ever held within its portals.

The Catholic ladies have again done themselves proud and through their indefatigable efforts, something over \$2,000 was netted for the benefit of St. Francis Church. A full account of the sums netted by the various booths will appear in next week's issue, by which time the ladies will have made their reports of receipts and expenditures.

The Fettera-Bigelow Contempt Case.

As we go to press (Friday afternoon) the habeas corpus proceedings instituted by Mrs. Geo. Fettera in her celebrated damage suit against Guy J. K. Bigelow, is still on in Judge Sawell's department of the Superior Court of this county where attorney W. F. Cowan is submitting authorities bearing on Mrs. Fettera's side of the alleged contempt committed in Justice Campbell's court here several weeks ago. The sympathy of the people of Sonoma Valley is all on the side of Mrs. Fettera, who has led a good life since coming here five years ago and built up one of the finest summer resorts in all Sonoma Valley.

The Southern Pacific and Its Employees.

Beginning with January 1st of next year, the Hariman Lines will assume all bond premiums of employees in their service, according to an announcement made at the offices of the Southern Pacific Company in the metropolis one day this week.

In the past, it has been the custom to require all men handling money to put up a security bond, and the premium on it has been paid by the employee, himself. After the first of the year this expense will be borne by the railroad company. On the Pacific System of the Southern Pacific, alone, there are about 45,000 employees, and the new arrangement, it is said, will involve a heavy expenditure annually.

This action is in line with the welfare campaign which the Southern Pacific and its allied lines are carrying on to better the conditions under which its employees are working.

San Francisco Business Men Visit Our Merchants

The representatives of the San Francisco wholesalers to the number of 75 arrived in town Thursday afternoon and spent an hour calling upon our merchants and other business men, after which they departed for Napa. During their short sojourn here the party was shown around by local business men, and entertained with several cases of Drexel's sparkling wines.

Jack London Will Not Preside

Jack London, who was scheduled to preside at the Socialist meeting to-morrow afternoon, has sent word that he cannot come owing to the serious illness of his daughter. Rev. Norman Pendleton will deliver the principal address, and Victor Zampatti will speak in Italian.

Attention

W. W. Carter, the real estate man, is agent for the California Nursery Co. of Niles and the Silva Beighthold Co. of New Castle. These both are reliable firms, and are sure to give satisfaction. Office Napa St., West of Union Hotel.

Now on Their Way.

The N. & M. Hardware Co. has a big new stock of stoves, ranges and heaters coming from the Buck Stove and Range Co., St. Louis. This stove is the best cooker and baker as it is the most popular. It is turned out by the largest stove factory in the world.

You Ought to Have Seen What I Saw.

The N. & M. Hardware Co. delivering to Louis Bernzart on the Lewis tract 4,000 feet of Colorado field fence and 500 feet of ornamental fence. He knew where to get the fence that would beautify his home. For further particulars the fence is out for examination.

EL VERANO ITEMS.

BY ARCHIBALD MCKIVER.
(Continued from First Page.)

W. W. Hopperoff transacted business in Oakland Monday.

Louie Parente of San Francisco was in town Monday.

L. E. Grimm was here from Oakland Sunday.

Leo Baines spent the fore part of the week in the Exposition City.

Chas. McDevitt returned from Marysville last Monday morning.

Mrs. A. Hughes visited in the Bay City the latter part of last week.

Miss Irene Baines is spending the week in Santa Cruz with relatives.

Mrs. A. Pauli of Sonoma went to Sacramento last Friday via the S. P.

Mrs. M. Coutts and child of Kenwood visited at the Block residence Sunday.

A. B. Ware, the well-known Santa Rosa attorney, was in town Sunday.

Louie Kearney of the County Farm, Santa Rosa, was in town Tuesday.

Fred. Schell of Schellville was in town Monday shaking hands with old friends.

L. Strud of San Francisco has accepted a position as bartender at the Gables saloon.

Miss Nettie Kirkland left for the city Saturday, where she will reside in the future.

Walter Murphy of Alameda was a guest at the L. L. Lewis ranch the latter part of last week.

Editor H. H. Granice of the Index-Tribune was an S. P. passenger for the city Tuesday morning.

Mrs. T. O'Conner and daughter, Miss Amy, of Santa Rosa, are guests at the Dowdall residence this week.

Among the passengers for San Francisco Sunday on the N. W. P. from here were: A. W. Weaver, Emmet Mullen and Leon Mouyer.

Vic Beretta and friend from Willits were in town Sunday. Vic is the popular mixologist of the Dew Drop Inn saloon in Sonoma.

John Basilou visited friends in Santa Rosa Sunday and Monday and while there took in the Socialist meeting, Emil Seidel being the speaker.

Walter Poulsen, the well-known butcher, while on his meat route, captured an escape from the Sonoma State Home last Saturday. Walter landed the prisoner safely and received a reward of five dollars.

Porky Willie Meehan, the pride of Sonoma Valley, and Jawn Thomas, a coon from Montana, fought in San Francisco last Friday evening. Meehan put the spade away in the fourth round, via the knock-out route.

Mr. and Mrs. John Serres were called to the city Sunday on account of the death of Mr. Serres' father who died at the age of 88. The funeral was held in the metropolis Tuesday, the remains being laid to rest in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Leonard Thomas, a carpenter in the employment of Ralph Murphy on the L. L. Lewis ranch, met with a painful accident last week. While driving a sixty penny spike, the hammer slipped, missing the spike and hitting his index finger, which will lay him up for several weeks.

Harry Weise, candidate for Supervisor on the Republican ticket, was in town last Friday. His opponent is Blair Hart, a man who has served four terms as Supervisor of this district and has always made good. The voters here are going to give him a handsome vote on November 5th.

The Sonoma Vista Land Company, which recently purchased the O. W. Nordwell ranch, will incorporate. Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of County Clerk W. W. Felt Jr. at Santa Rosa Monday morning. The incorporators are G. W. Anderson, T. M. Davidson and Phil J. Strubel all of San Francisco. The company is to deal in real estate.

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TO DEVELOP THE SONOMA VALLEY.

Citizens of El Verano Meet and Form an Association to Boost Their Section.

At a meeting of the citizens of El Verano and vicinity held last Tuesday evening, which was largely attended, the El Verano Development Club was organized with a membership of forty-six and the following officers:

President, James Baines; Vice President, Thos. Baines; Secretary, A. L. Hughes; Treasurer, C. A. Bergstrom; Directors, J. P. Serres and J. Andrews.

The meeting was the largest and most enthusiastic ever held here for the purpose of boosting the valley. Many interesting subjects were discussed during the evening.

Thos. H. Baines and Chas. Spindler addressed the meeting and discussed many important subjects looking to the civic betterment of Sonoma Valley, and both were listened to with marked attention. It is seldom a more earnest body of men get together in any community as those who were present at this meeting and it augurs well for the El Verano Development Association, which has set out to do things.

Local Brevities.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Frank W. Bulsing, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Frank W. Bulsing, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the administratrix at law office of Robert A. Poppe, in the City of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

SOPHIA BULSING, Administratrix of the estate of Frank W. Bulsing, deceased.
Dated at Sonoma, Cal., Oct. 19th, 1912
Robert A. Poppe, attorney for estate.
First Publication October 19th, 1912.

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To-rent—A six room house, barn and chicken houses, and land not to exceed one acre. Will be rented reasonable to responsible party. Suitable for poultry. Located in the Agua Caliente School District. Apply to H. H. Granice, Index-Tribune office.

Found.

Found—Gentleman's fob watch chain with ivory horse's head attached. Apply at this office.

Lost.

Lost—Ladies' Gray Jacket, between Sonoma and Glen Ellen, on Sunday, October 13. Suitable reward will be given if returned to Agua Caliente Springs.

For Sale.

For Sale—Square piano in A 1 condition. Apply to C. E. Newland, Patton Street, 2nd house east of 2nd street East, Sonoma Cal.

Wanted.

Pullets Wanted—Address W. L. McAllister, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 23a, Sonoma, Cal.

Wanted—Boy wanted to make himself generally useful. Apply Sonoma Valley Shoe Store.

Wanted—Jersey cow, good milker, not over five years old. Give price and all particulars.
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Glen Ellen.

WANTED—A reliable woman to do general housework in a family of three. Address Mrs. Sarah Baines, Box 113, El Verano, Cal.

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To Rent—Five-room cottage and bath on Broadway. Apply at this office.

Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company

Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma.	Effective MAY 12, 1912	Arrive Sonoma
DAILY.	TO AND FROM	DAILY.
6:18 A M	San Francisco	9:36 A M
11:03 A M	San Rafael and Intermediates	12:57 P M
3:41 P M		6:59 P M
11:03 A M	Glen Ellen and Intermediates.	9:36 A M
9:59 P M		12:57 P M
6:18 A M	Norato	9:36 A M
11:03 A M	Petaluma	12:57 P M
3:41 P M	Santa Rosa and Intermediates.	6:57 P M
6:18 A M	Ulysses	9:36 A M
11:03 A M	Headburg	12:57 P M
3:41 P M	Lytton and Intermediates.	6:57 P M
6:18 A M	Ukiah and Intermediates	9:36 A M
11:03 A M		12:57 P M
3:41 P M	Willits and Sherwood	6:57 P M
6:18 A M	Sebastopol and Intermediates.	9:36 A M
11:03 A M		12:57 P M
3:41 P M	Guerneville and Intermediates.	9:36 A M
6:18 A M		12:57 P M
3:41 P M		

SUNDAYS.

Leave Sonoma	Arrive Sonoma
3:41 P M	11:44 A M
6:21 P M	9:36 A M

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Notice of Sale

In the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California, Joseph Kechler, Plaintiff vs. John Steiner, Sonoma Brewing Company, a corporation, H. H. Granice, Charles Dal Poggetto, F. Niche, A. Beretta, Frederick Leix, August Rouquie, August J. Rouquie, Joe Felder, A. Ement, James Maffei, John Batto, Fred Batto, John Batto & Sons, a corporation, N. J. Heggie, Giuseppe Proietti, and the Wittenmann Company, a corporation, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure, issued out of the Superior Court of Sonoma County, State of California, on the 12th day of October, 1912, in the above entitled action wherein Joseph Kechler the above named plaintiff, obtained every remedy and decree of foreclosure against John Steiner one of the defendants above named, on the 20th day of Sept. 1912 for the sum of \$4,342.26, and in which action the Cross-complaints above named, except John Steiner and Sonoma Brewing Company, obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure against said Sonoma Brewing Company on said 20th day of Sept. 1912, for the aggregate sum of \$23,388.87, which said judgment and decree was on the 1st day of Oct. 1912, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court; I the undersigned Commissioner, duly appointed and qualified, am commanded by said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, to sell at public auction in the manner prescribed by law, all that certain real property situated in the city of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

First:—Beginning at a point in the Western line of Berryessa or Second St. East at the Southern corner of Lot No. 3, and running thence Southerly along said Western line of Berryessa street a distance of 150 feet, thence a westerly distance of 175 feet, thence a northerly distance of 150 feet to the So. 1/4 line of said Lot No. 3, thence East along said So. 1/4 line of Lot No. 3 a distance of 175 feet to the point of beginning, and being a part of Turkey street adjoining said lot on the North, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Second:—Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the Western boundary line of Berryessa or Second Street East with the Southern boundary line of the right of way of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company, and running thence Southerly along the Western line of Berryessa or Second Street East a distance of 13 feet, more or less, to the Northern boundary line of Turkey street, thence Westerly along said Northern boundary line of Turkey street 200 feet, to a point, thence Northerly at right angles a distance of 44 feet, more or less, to the So. 1/4 line of Lot No. 3, thence East along said So. 1/4 line of Lot No. 3 a distance of 175 feet to the point of beginning, the same being a portion of lot No. 3, as shown on the O'Farrell map of the City of Sonoma, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 4th day of November 1912, at 12 o'clock noon of said day, on the steps of the County Court House, at the North entrance thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, State of California, I the undersigned Commissioner aforesaid, will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell at public auction the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgments with interest thereon and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest bidder for cash. Said lands described will be sold in two separate parcels, the piece first described being first sold.

Dated October 8th, 1912.

J. M. Thompson, Commissioner.
A. B. Ware and R. A. Poppe Attorneys for Plaintiff.
James W. Oates Esq. Attorney for Cross-Complainants.
Hilgard Comstock, Attorney for Defendant Steiner.
(First Publication Oct. 12th, 1912.)

In the Superior Court of the State of California, In and For the County of Sonoma

In the Matter of the Estate of James M. LaRue, Deceased

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California, made on the 7th day of October, 1912, in the matter of the estate of James M. LaRue, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of said James M. LaRue, deceased, will sell at private sale, in one parcel, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 28th day of October, 1912, all the right, title, interest and estate of said James M. LaRue, deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest which the said estate has, by operation of law, or otherwise acquired, other than, or in addition to that of said deceased, at the time of his death, of, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the Township of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lot numbered One (1), Subdivision One (1), Division A of A. W. Lerke's subdivision of the T. B. Garand Ranch, as per map filed in the office of the County Recorder of Sonoma County, California, on October 11th 1911. Containing Five and thirty-three one hundredths (5.33) of an acre.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in United States gold coin, ten per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of making the sale and the balance on confirmation of sale by the Superior Court. Bids and offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of Clarence F. Lea, in the Court house at Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California, or may be delivered to said administrator personally at 406 Humboldt Street, Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated October 8th, 1912.
ARTHUR LARUE,
Administrator of the Estate of James M. LaRue, deceased.
Clarence F. Lea and J. W. Ford, Attorneys for said Administrator.
(First Publication October 12th, 1912.)

WHY THE CONSOLIDATION AMENDMENT SHOULD BE ADOPTED

Measure Simply Permissive in Effect—Local Autonomy Preserved

SAN FRANCISCO NOW ONLY CITY THAT CANNOT UNDER THE LAW EXTEND ITS LIMITS AS GROWTH DEMANDS

The people of the State of California will vote at the general election on November 5 on a number of constitutional amendments, among which is Amendment No. 6, an initiative measure designed to permit the formation of city and county governments from contiguous cities and counties.

Stripped of all technicalities and of all questions that are not raised by the actual text of this measure, the problem of how to vote on this amendment is an extremely simple one. The amendment is merely permissive in form. It is not self-executing. It so amends the constitution as to permit, after its adoption, succession of legislative acts and popular elections, by which consolidation of cities and counties may be effected. By the safeguard of requiring a majority vote of each community involved, as well as of the whole State, the counties proposed to be divided, it removes the possibility of coercion in these subsequent elections.

The freedom of action granted by the amendment is no more than an act of common justice to the City and County of San Francisco. Under the present law every community in the State except San Francisco may profit by consolidation with its contiguous communities and by the formation of a combined city and county government. The passage of the proposed amendment would deprive San Francisco of this right.

San Francisco being the only consolidated city and county government in the State, cannot expand because it is prevented from consolidating with territory outside its county boundaries. Do the people of the State wish to prevent the city of San Francisco from consolidating with its contiguous communities and by the formation of a combined city and county government? The proponents of the measure do not think so.

The City and County of San Francisco was incorporated under act of the Legislature in 1856 and its boundaries have not been extended since. Its population has grown from about 5,000 to 500,000. It is admitted that in combination of city governments there is increase of efficiency, economy and strength. Even the city of Oakland, the center of the opposition to the amendment, at the present moment is planning to consolidate its municipal and county governments to relieve the taxpayers of Alameda county of the heavy burden caused by duplication of expense in the maintenance of separate governments. Oakland's tax rate is higher than that of San Francisco and its residents long have been restless under the burden.

Existing legislative acts allow every city or town in the State, only San Francisco, to consolidate with sister cities and to annex territory. A slight proposed amendment to the constitution will not destroy the power of the Legislature to pass laws permitting such consolidation.

Interior Cities May Consolidate. As for the right of communities in the same county having a joint population of less than 50,000 the highest legal authority declares the proposed amendment does not in any way destroy the power of the Legislature to pass laws permitting such consolidation.

The City and County of San Francisco was created in 1856 with no other provision in the constitution than that "it shall be the duty of the Legislature to provide for the organization of cities and incorporated villages." Section 37, Article 5, Constitution 1849, and the Supreme Court held this was sufficient authority (People vs. Hill, 7 Cal. 99, 103).

Inasmuch as the Legislature has every authority that is not prohibited by the constitution the repeal of the present Section 7 of Article XI, which is permissive only, will not affect its power to do what it could have done if the section had never existed. The Legislature will, therefore, after the adoption of this amendment be empowered to enact a law for the consolidation of city and county governments in the same county, where the population is less than 50,000, simply by passing a general permissive law.

No Saddling of Bonded Debt. Refutation of all the misrepresentations made attributing to San Francisco a desire to appropriate the taxable resources of the bay cities and to saddle upon them its present and future bonded indebtedness is found in the text of the amendment itself. "No city or town shall become a part of such city and county unless a majority of the qualified voters of such city or town shall approve such consolidation and a subsequent general or special election shall adopt a freholders charter for such new consolidated city and county." San Francisco, even with a majority of votes of the new city and county, would be powerless to misuse the bonded debt of any other unit.

That portion of the amendment relating to indebtedness and bonds is as follows: "Such new consolidated government shall also be liable for all the existing debts and liabilities of any municipal corporation merged therein, but no provision shall be made for the payment of all outstanding bonds of such municipalities respectively by taxes levied only upon the property assessable in such city and county at the time of such consolidation." Now, it is quite clear that there can be no difficulty as to what property is to be assessed for San Francisco's outstanding bonds, for the amendment distinctly states that only the property which could have been taxed at the time of the consolidation can be taxed after consolidation, and that means San Francisco. So neither Oakland, nor any other community could ever be called on to pay any part of them.

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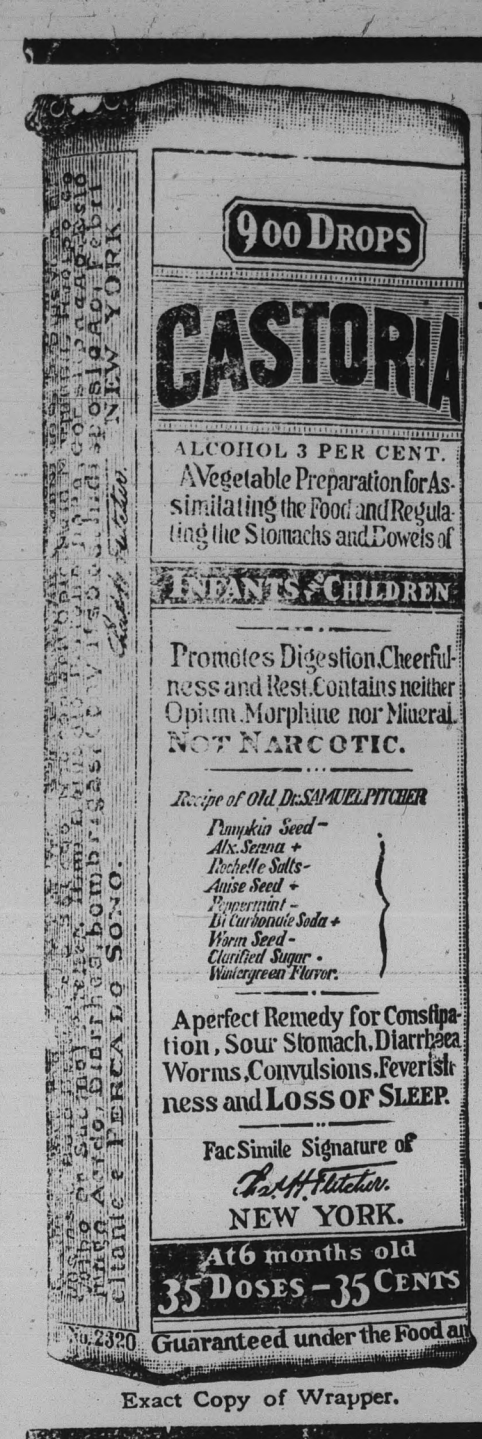
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Dissolution of Copartnership.

The copartnership heretofore existing between Rose Stein, Flora Krause and Alexander Bloom, under the firm name and style of "Flora Villa Resort" at El Verano, Sonoma County, California, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Alexander Bloom retiring.

The business of the late firm will be continued under the same firm name and style by Rose Stein and Flora Krause, who assume all obligations, and collect all outstanding accounts.

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